

### **Managed Risk Medical Insurance Board**

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# JOB OPPORTUNITY BULLETIN

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## Research Program Specialist I

Monthly Salary: \$4,833 - \$5,874
One Limited Term 24 Month/Full-Time Position
Location: Downtown Sacramento
Position Number: 443-300-5742-021
Refer to Job ID#09-BQM-036
Final Filing Date: July 9, 2010

#### **General Statement of Duties:**

Under the general direction of the Research Manager II (RM II), the Research Program Specialist I (RPS I) undertakes research and quality monitoring activities for the Managed Risk Medical Insurance Board (MRMIB). The RPSI is responsible for planning, organizing and conducting complex research studies by developing and running statistical models in SAS; provides leadership and consultation to MRMIB staff, contracted consultants, health, dental and vision plan partners and other State department staff. The RPSI coordinates with contracted consultant on the development of the solicitation and selection of an External Quality Review Organization (EQRO), oversees the activities of the EQRO, ensuring that all federal requirements are met and coordinates with external vendor on the administration of patient satisfaction surveys of Healthy Families Program (HFP) members. Analyzes and reports survey results. Researches and advises management on the quality monitoring and reporting requirements of the Children's Health Insurance Program Reauthorization Act (CHIPRA) of 2009 from the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS). The RPS I may act in a lead capacity and perform other duties as assigned.

### **DESIRABLE QUALIFICATIONS:**

- Strong analytical and technical skills
- Strong leadership skills
- Excellent written and oral communication skills
- Experience developing contracts for external consultants
- Experience working with external consultants and monitoring their activities
- Knowledge and experience using SAS for data management, statistical analysis and interpretation
- Strong computer skills, including experience with Microsoft Word, Excel and Access or other spreadsheet and database software
- Experience in consulting with and advising management, department staff and government entities on the feasibility and potential or actual impact of projects.
- Experience in program analysis and evaluation
- Ability to take initiative and work independently with little direction

#### OTHER EXPECTATIONS:

- Demonstrates commitment to performing duties in a service-oriented manner.
- Demonstrates commitment to maintaining a work environment free from discrimination and sexual harassment.
- Maintains good work habits and adheres to all policies and procedures.
- Keeps abreast of available tools for performing statistical analysis.
- Demonstrates the ability to function as part of a team, work on multiple assignments and meet critical deadlines.
- An interest in health care quality improvement.
- A willingness to learn and share knowledge and experience with other team members

## Who May Apply:

Individuals at the Research Program Specialist I level or who have list or reinstatement eligibility to the classification may apply. Only the most qualified candidates will be interviewed. Hire may be restricted to SROA or surplus state employees. Interested parties should submit a Std. 678, State Application (available at <a href="https://www.spb.ca.gov">www.spb.ca.gov</a>). In Section 12 of the application enter Job ID# 09-BQM-036 and Position # 443-300-5742-021 and the basis for appointment eligibility. Send to:

Managed Risk Medical Insurance Board 1000 G Street, Suite 450 Sacramento, CA 95814 Attn: Robin Conover – Personnel

Applications must be <u>RECEIVED</u> in the Personnel Office by 5:00 p.m. on the Final Filing Date: July 9, 2010.

If you have questions regarding this information, please contact Robin Conover at (916) 445-3940.

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